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6. [] - JGO) Received a call from Mr. E. T. Hugler, House Manpower and Civil Service Subcommittee staff, who requested the full names and official titles of Agency witnesses who will be appearing before the Committee this morning. I advised the Director would be the principal witness and would be accompanied by Messrs. Houston, Warner, and Maury.

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7. [] Met with Mr. J. R. Blandford, Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, and discussed with him the Committee schedule for the coming week. The procurement hearings continue to occupy the full time of the Committee and Mr. Kelleher. Present estimate of a possible hearing date for the cost-of-living amendment to the Agency retirement bill is now the week of 8 July.

I briefed Mr. Blandford concerning a Soviet air base in the eastern part of the Soviet Union.

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8. [] Met with Mr. Robert Michaels, House Appropriations Committee staff, as a follow up to the Director's briefing yesterday and discussed follow up actions. Discussion was also had concerning the continuing appropriation resolution pending before the Committee. (See Memorandum for the Record for details.)

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9. ([] - JGO) As follow up to this morning's briefing, met with Mr. B. Benton Bray, Assistant Staff Director, House Post Office and Civil Service Committee. Mr. Bray again advised, as the Chairman himself had noted at the close of the meeting, that this morning's appearance by the Director was most helpful and very much appreciated. The Chairman found him a very competent witness. Transcript of the hearing will be turned over to the Agency tomorrow for safe keeping.

Mr. Bray also noted that it would be necessary for Mr. Henderson to return to the district tomorrow and as a consequence, hearings scheduled on S. 1035 and H. R. 17760 with witnesses from the United Federation of Postal Clerks and the National Association of Postal Supervisors is being put over to next week. He also advised that as a result of suggestions made by Mr. Macy during his testimony, comments on the proposed legislation have been requested from some 14 agencies.